Scripture and Catechism Exercises 2020-2021

Exercise 2

Name: .... Age: ....

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Congregation: ....

Senior Section (15 years old and over)
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<u>Old Testament</u>

1.   Read 2 Chronicles 1.

(a) Where did Solomon go at the beginning of his reign and what did he do there?   (2)

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(b) When did God appear to Solomon and what did he say?   (2)

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(c) What did Solomon ask for? Why do you think this was a request that pleased God?   (2)

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(d) What did God promise to Him?   (3)

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2.   (a) What did Solomon decide to do that is recorded at the beginning of 2 Chronicles 2?   (2)

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(b) What did he ask Huram king of Tyre to do to assist him?   (2)

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(c) What reasons did Solomon give for making the temple so ornate and expensive?
     (see verses 5-6)?   (3)

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(d) How did Huram's response show that he had respect for the God of Israel?   (3)

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3.   (a) In 2 Chronicles 3-5 we read a detailed description of the temple and its furnishings.
     Despite all the rich furnishings and elaborate ceremonies, the temple worship was basically
     inadequate. Why was this? Read Hebrews 9:1-12 to help you.   (2)

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(b) What is required to obtain "eternal redemption for us"?   (2)

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New Testament

Read James chapters 1-3.

1.   Who is the Epistle addressed to?   (2)

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2.   Why should they rejoice in temptation? (see verses 3-4, 12)   (3)

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3.   Look at verses 21-27. Find 5 marks of true believers given in these verses.   (5)

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4. What sin is condemned at the beginning of chapter 2? (2)

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5. What reasons does James give to support his argument? (3)

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6. What is the royal law according to the Scripture? (1)

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7. Look at verses 9-11. What argument does James give answer those who might consider this a small sin? (2)

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8. What do you think James means in verse 17 when he says, "Faith without works is dead?" (2)

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9. What examples does James give to show how true faith is never alone? (4)

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Memory Exercise

Learn by heart and write from memory the answer to Question 44 in the Shorter Catechism:
What doth the preface to the ten commandments teach us? (3)

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